

“Revelation – The King of Kings and the Lord of Lords (16-1): The Millennial Kingdom” (Rev 20:1-10)

**Today: Meaning of “Thousand Years”,
and Reasons for Binding of Satan for a “Thousand Years”**

I. Meaning of the “Thousand Years” (Rev 20:1-7): “Millennium”

Three Major Views on the Millennial Reign of Christ on Earth

- A. The Postmillennial View**
- B. The Amillennial (“No Millennial”) View**
- C. The Premillennial View**

II. Reasons for the Binding/Release of Satan in the Thousand-Year Period

A. Is Satan Now “Bound” (1 Peter 5:8)? NO

The Thousand-Year Period Millennium is still *Future*; Satan will be Bound during the Millennium, and then set free afterwards to Deceive the Nations (vv 7-8a)

B. Purpose of the Millennial Kingdom

- 1. Fulfill God’s Promises to David/Israel (Jer 23:5-6; Isa 2:2-5; Luke 1:30–33; Matt 3:2; 4:17)**

Kingdom Offered, Rejected, and *Postponed*...In Postponement, the Foreknowledge of God worked out His Eternal Purpose: Jesus became the Perfect Sacrifice for the Sins of Mankind (Acts 2:23-24a)

- 2. Prove the Principle: Man is Personally Responsible for his Sinfulness**
Sinful men will Sin because they Choose to Sin even in a “Perfect” World.
This will be the *Basis* for God’s Righteous Judgment of Sinful Mankind

III. Lessons for Today

A. Future Millennial Kingdom is to Fulfill God’s Promise, and to Realize...

**“God’s Name Hallowed, His Kingdom Come
and His Will Done on earth as it is in heaven”**

B. Prospect of Believers Reigning with Him

C. Final Demonstration of the Sinfulness of Sin, and the Wickedness of the human heart apart from God’s Grace (2 Tim 2:11-13)

**Received Jesus Christ as your Savior and the Lord of your Life...
Be Faithful to the End as He is!**